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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the year 1910 was

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copies, the largest circulation of any daily paper in Vermont outside of Burlington.

The poor porcupine hasn't a friend in New Hampshire, either.

Monsieur Groundhog must have shivered at his own prophecy.

If Horace Greeley were alive to-day and passing on sage advice, it is doubtful if he would still say, "Go West, young man."

Some great thing is surely being evolved at Oyster Bay. As the advertisements read: Watch this space for a great announcement.

There wasn't a streak of sunshine any minute yesterday; but the day before and the day after were "brite and fair." Therefore, Candelmas day of 1911 was no doubtful barometer.

This is the day when Poultny, Vt., gets itself thrust into prominence as the starting-point of one Greeley's great journalistic career. Poultny shines in the reflected glory and also in the effulgence of praise which its former son showered upon it as being the most moral community of his ken. Poultny has a ponderous reputation to live up to; and we trust it has been doing it faithfully.

Mark Twain's fifty-seven (more or less) varieties of New England weather were well illustrated yesterday with a healthy young blizzard in operation in Vermont and a thunder storm, with lightning-bolt attachment, just across the line in Massachusetts. Going a little farther afield, we read of a sweeping prairie fire in Oklahoma. Texas is suffering from the intense heat. But, to come back to Vermont, the thermometer registered 28 degrees below zero this morning.

Experts in military affairs have expressed the opinion that an aeroplane which can carry a dozen persons with comparative ease will be practical for military service. The experiments are fast approaching that stage of passenger-carrying possibilities. Only last Thursday a foreign aviator carried six passengers for a considerable distance, and yesterday LeMartin took eight passengers into the air in a monoplane and made a successful, though short, flight at Pau, France. The aeroplane is passing from the stage of a novelty to that of utility; and it is manifestly in the latter that the greatest good from the invention is to come.

COMMISSIONER DAVIS' REAPPOINTMENT.

Governor Mead, by reappointing Fred L. Davis of Hartford as state cattle commissioner, was in accord with public opinion, which stood almost solidly back of the official, believing him to be worthy of selection no matter what political stand he may have taken in the recent election. The delay in the appointment to this late day has, perhaps, not made so much difference but what Commissioner Davis can overcome it by his usual energetic method of procedure; but it constituted a rather unsatisfactory condition of affairs to keep a large state department in abeyance for so long a time after the other heads of department were chosen. Those other officials have had a month or two months in which to

get the biennial administration of their departments started, whereas Mr. Davis has been kept in uncertainty whether to inaugurate a plan of campaign or to leave that to a possible successor in office. By just so much the state has lost through the delay in the appointment.



Have you ever been caught in this net? These much advertised slaughter prices are a killing proposition for the customer's purse.

The safe, sane and economical way is to trade at the store having the confidence of the public.

Our store has been established nine years. Our platform is "your satisfaction first."

Today we are closing out a bunch of Winter Suits at \$5 less than the regular price.

\$22 and \$25 Suits and

Overcoats now \$19.50

\$20 Suits and Overcoats

now - - - 15.50

\$15 Suits and Overcoats

now - - - 11.50

\$10 Suits and Overcoats

now - - - 8.00

A few small sizes and

odd garments \$3.95 to

\$8.00 each.

Men's and Boys' Caps

for 25c, the 50c value.

Men's Hose, 10c pair,

the regular 15c grade.

Children's 50c, 75c and

\$1.00 Tams, 25c and 35c

each.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Sweaters

for 75c.

SEE WINDOW

FUR COATS TO RENT.

We Clean, Press and Repair Clothing.

F. H. ROGERS & CO.

The big store with little prices.

174 North Main Street, Barre, Vermont

Barre Savings Bank & Trust Co.

Howland Block, Barre, Vt.

Hereafter we will pay
all taxes on all sums
of money deposited with
us whether on interest or
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Interest paid on savings
accounts.Banking Hours, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Monday and Saturday Evenings, 7 to 8.

BEN A. EASTMAN, Pres't.

F. G. HOWLAND, Treas.

and the ancient musket, which, on closer inspection, is seen to be inscribed "Retrenchment." Old Rip wanders here and there, here and there, and finds scarcely a familiar face; the place seems strangely changed since his long sleep in the mountains when first he ascended, following a little man bearing a keg. Yet, in spite of the altered aspect of things in his native village, this modern Rip decides to settle down and, though deserted by his local option wife, who has gone off with another man, he hopes to rehabilitate himself in the life of the community.

In short, Percival W. Clement has come back into politics in Vermont. It is nothing much to be sure, only the mayoralty in Rutland which he would seize upon at the outset of a new career. Yet the Honorable Percival is perhaps heartened by the knowledge that our present governor found the Rutland mayoralty a stepping-stone to his high position and that what has been done can be done again. We are distinctly told that the office is not of Mr. Clement's seeking and that, per contra, it is like the thrice-offered Caesar's crown, thrust upon him. However, that is getting ahead of the political story. The fact is, that the former Rough Rider of Vermont politics has merely saddled and bridled his horse, and the San Juan charge is still an unaccomplished thing. The Rutland kopje is the foreground. Can he seize it? If so, we shall expect a considerable rattling around in Vermont state politics in the few years immediately ensuing.

Current Comment

Praise for Gordon.

Senator John W. Gordon, of Washington county may well be proud of his record in the upper chamber. If he has often—perhaps generally—been on the losing side, it is not the less to his credit. He has stood by his guns.—Randolph Herald.

The Herald tells no more than the truth in the foregoing. Few men have come out of the legislature with a more creditable record than Senator Gordon. He at least tried to represent his constituents and was a hard fighter for what he believed to be right.—Bennington Banner.

Washington County's Senators.

The work of the senators from this county, Messrs. Gordon, Daniels and Lyford, during the session of the legislature just closed was very creditable, and in every instance the welfare of this county was properly guarded. Senator Gordon was without doubt one of the strongest members of the Senate. Senator Daniels was one of the most active members, and many times during the session he dealt out to the Senate some good homespun argument.

carrying with it convincing points which brought about important legislation that he thought should be enacted. Senator Lyford filled in the lap well in the trio. He has always been recognized in this section as a man of excellent judgment. The way he voted on the different important measures well proved the man's thorough understanding, not only of the needs and requirements of this county, but of the state at large. All have reason to feel proud of the record the Washington county senators have made in the legislature which has just closed.—Waterbury Record.

Jingles and Jest

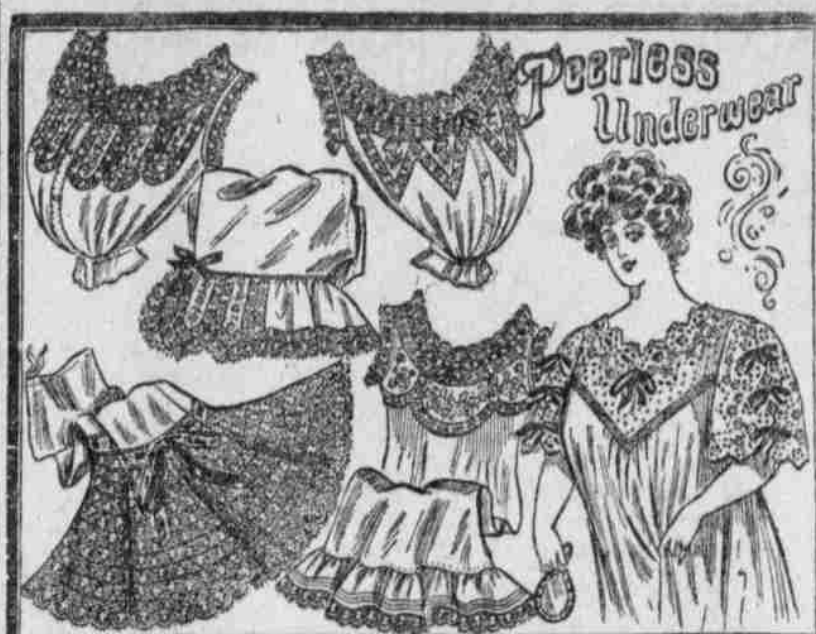
Getting It Straight.

New Maid (announcing her visitor)—Please, 'um, is this the lady you told me always to say you was out to?—London Opinion.

Tell Wellman.

"So you have a new idea for a dirigible balloon?"
"Yes. Make the equilibrator larger, put a motor into it, and let it pull the balloon."—Washington Star.

Remnants—remnants of silk, a big lot of short pieces of silk marked very low to close out at Perry's, Saturday.



ANNUAL WHITE SALE

of "Peerless" Muslin Underwear
All New Goods All at Reduced PricesLadies' Robes 48c, 79c, 98c, \$1.08 up.
Corset Covers 23c, 45c, 77c, 98c.
Drawers 23c, 39c, 48c up.
Chemise 75c, 79c, 98c, \$1.12 up.
Long Skirts 75c, 95c, \$1.12, 1.35 up.
Short Skirts 25c, 45c, 75c up.
Combination Suits, \$1.12, 1.35, 1.79 up.
Children's Drawers 10c, 12 1-2, 15c, 23c.
Children's Night Robes, 50c kind, for 39c.

Hamburg Opening Sale

Hamburg Edge from 5c up to \$1.00 per yard.
Hamburg Insertion, 10c, 15c up.
50c wide Hamburg for 39c yard.
39c wide Hamburg for 25c yard.
Wide Flouncings from 39c, 50c, 75c up.

Opening Sale of Laces

All Laces reduced in this sale.
Think of buying German Val Laces for 4c yard.
19c Lace that we sold at 7c now 5c yard.
15c Lace that we sold at 10c now 7c yard.
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SHIRT WAISTS REDUCED IN WHITE SALE

The Vaughan Store

National Bank of Barre.

F. G. HOWLAND, President, T. H. CAVE, Jr., Cashier.

Statement, January 2, 1911.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	\$497,816.59	Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds, 2 per cent. at par	260,000.00	Surplus and Profits	29,783.32
Redemption Fund	5,000.00	Dividend No. 75	4,000.00
Other Bonds	232,971.19	Dividends Unpaid	96.00
Fixture Account	6,674.43	Circulation	94,199.00
Due from Banks	82,722.69	Deposits	903,703.25
Cash	47,596.67	United States Government Deposit	1,000.00
	\$1,132,781.57		\$1,132,781.57

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For those having money temporarily idle we issue Certificates of Deposits at a rate proportionate to the length of time the money is on deposit.

All Deposits Free of Tax

Under a law passed by the recent legislature the limit of \$2,000 on deposit is removed and we are now allowed to pay the taxes on money deposited with us to any amount. This applies to both savings and checking accounts.

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BARRE VERMONT

"After Invoicing"

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- 1 Genuine Leather Turkish Upholstered Chair, was \$48.00, now 31.00
- 1 Genuine Leather Turkish Upholstered Chair, was \$45.00, now 29.00
- 1 Chase Leather Rocker, was \$19.00, now 12.98
- 1 Chase Leather Rocker, was \$17.00, now 10.50
- 1 Chase Leather Rocker, was \$15.00, now 9.25
- 1 Chase Leather Rocker, was \$9.50, now 6.25
- 1 Parlor Suite, five pieces, was \$45.00, now 29.50

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- 36-inch Russian Pony Coats, sizes 34-36, value \$35.00 25.00
- 42-inch Russian Pony Coats, sizes 36-38-42, value \$42.50 30.00
- 45-inch Mink Marmot Coats, value \$60.00 53.00
- 52-inch Mink Marmot, value \$70.00 60.00
- 1 Near Seal, 24 inches long, value \$50.00 25.00
- 1 Australian Opossum Driving Coat, 42 inches long, value \$50.00, at 29.00
- 2 Black Astrachan Coats, 36 inches long, value \$50.00 30.00

P. S.—Black Caracul Coats, best quality, now \$18.50, value \$25.00, (all sizes.)
N. B.—Visit this department and save money.